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RELSSUE

- 1. PROPOSED MEETING BETWEEN FISHING BOAT AND SUBMARINE
- PREPARATION TO SEND MAN AT MIL'SON'S PLACE TO COMLAND TO TEACH THE TALMUD TO MORITS, A RADIO OPERATOR
- 3. AREL', SAT ...

(1942)

From: MOSCOW

To: STOCKHOLM

No.: 342

11th May 1942

To AKASTO[i].

State:

1. Whether you can arrange for a meeting between a fishing boat and our submarine at one of the points off the coast of the Gulf of BOTHNIA; the approximate point at [Da which]

[15 groups unrecovered]

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our people to you.

- Whether the man at NIL'SON's[ii] place has been chosen and whether he is preparing for the journey to COWLAND[KOROVIYa][iii] to teach the TAIMUD[iv] to our MUSICIAN[MUZYKANT][v] MORITs[vi] when the training is completed.
- How AREL'[vii] is working. We are providing a great deal of help in the matter of [D% government] [15 groups unrecovered]
- If you can, report in [1 group unrecovered] SAT...[viii]
 [40 groups unrecoverable]

No. 4875

SEVERNYJ[ix]

Footnotes: [i] AKASTO: Col. N.I. NIKITUShEV, Soviet Military Attaché in STOCKHOLM.

[ii] NIL'SON: i.e. "NILSON/NILSON/NIELSON"; unidentified, presumably a covername. Also occurs in STOCKHOLM's Nos. 222 of 4th February 1942 (unpublished), 303 and 304 of 17th February 1942 (3/NBF/T1603 and 1833), 393 of 27th February 1942 (3/NBF/T1832) and 737 of 19th April 1942 (3/NBF/T1808) and in MOSCOW's Nos. 179 of 10th March 1942 (3/NBF/T1816) and 768 of 12th October 1942 (3/NBF/T1429).

[iii] COWLAND: Possibly coverword for DERMARK. First occurrence.

[iv] TALMUD: Coverword for cipher or cipher system.

[v] MUSICIAN: Radio operator.

[vi] MORITs: > i.e. "MORITZ"; unidentified covername. First occurrence.

[vii] AREL': Vnidentified. Possibly a transliteration of the Scandinavian surname AREL(L). Also occurs in STOCKHOLM's No. 737 of 19th April 1942 (3/NEF/T1868).

[viii] SAT...: Presumably "SATURN" (unidentified covername). Also occurs in MOSCOW's Nos. 797 of 6th September 1941 (3/NBF/T1838) and 687 of 24th September 1942 (unpublished) and in STOCKHOLN's Nos. 1647 of 23rd December 1941 (unpublished) and 230 of 5th February 1942 (3/NBF/T2070).

[ix] SEVERNYJ: i.e. "NORTHERN"; MOSCOW addressee and signatory.
Probably Northern Department.

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